

FISCAL MEMORANDUM
SB 135 – HB 145

March 30, 2007

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (005393): Clarifies in section two of the bill that lands managed by the agency includes lands owned by other public entities for which the agency regulates hunting and fishing. The original bill referred to lands owned by entities for which the agency regulates hunting and fishing rather than public lands. Specifies that when calculating acreage managed by the agency such acreages may be estimated. Includes language exempting the development and maintenance of a proposed or existing greenway connecting Davidson, Wilson, and Rutherford counties from the provisions of this act when closing or utilizing acreages of public hunting and fishing lands.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Expenditures - \$2,500/One-Time/Wildlife Fund
Exceeds \$200,000/Recurring/Wildlife Fund

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant/Wildlife Fund

Assumption applied to amendment:

- By requiring only estimated acreages, the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency can utilize existing resources to accomplish the provisions of the bill. Any increase in state expenditures to the Wildlife Fund is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James W. White, Executive Director

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